



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Leibholz, *et al.*

Application number: 09/747,583

Filed: December 21, 2000

For: *A HARDWARE SPILL/FILL ENGINE FOR
REGISTER WINDOWS THAT AVOIDS TRAPS
FOR SPILLS/FILLS*

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Advisory Action mailed August 18, 2004 (Paper No. 20040812), and the Final Office Action mailed May 18, 2004, the response period of which is extended to November 9, 2004, by the accompanying Request for a Three Month Extension of Time, and preliminary to further examination in accordance with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please amend the application as follows

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.